

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 60-64 and 66, without prejudice to the inclusion of the subject matter contained therein in any later filed continuation and/or divisional application(s).

Please amend claims 10 and 65, and add claims 67-71 as follows:

Claims 1-9 (Cancelled).

10. (Currently Amended) An isolated antibody that is specific for a single form of TRANCE, wherein said TRANCE comprises the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2 having as an immunogen a polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence, or a conserved variant, a fragment, an analog, or a derivative thereof, selected from the group consisting of the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:2, and the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:4.

11. (Original) The antibody of claim 10, wherein said antibody is a monoclonal antibody.

12. (Withdrawn) The antibody of claim 10, wherein said antibody is a polyclonal antibody.

13. (Withdrawn) The antibody of claim 10, wherein said antibody is a chimeric antibody.

14. (Original) The antibody of claim 10, wherein said antibody is detectably labeled.

15. (Original) The antibody of claim 14, wherein a detectable label is selected from the group consisting of alkaline phosphatase, peroxidase, and radioactive isotopes incorporated into the antibody.

Claims 16-59 (Cancelled).

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Claims 60-64 (Cancelled).

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65. (Previously Presented) The antibody of claim 60, wherein said An isolated antibody that is specific for a single form of TRANCE, wherein said TRANCE is human TRANCE having consists of the amino acid sequence as set forth in SEQ ID NO:2.

66. (Cancelled)

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67. (New) The antibody of claim 65, wherein said antibody is a monoclonal antibody.

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68. (New) The antibody of claim 67, wherein said antibody is a polyclonal antibody.

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69. (New) The antibody of claim 65, wherein said antibody is a chimeric antibody.

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70. (New) The antibody of claim 65, wherein said antibody is detectably labeled.

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71. (New) The antibody of claim 70, wherein a detectable label is selected from the group consisting of alkaline phosphatase, peroxidase, and radioactive isotopes incorporated into the antibody.